

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH & EDUCATION

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1294
ANSWERED ON- 06/12/2024

**OPENING OF AGRICULTURAL SCHOOLS AND TRAINING INSTITUTES IN
THE COUNTRY**

1294. DR. SUMER SINGH SOLANKI:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of agricultural schools established in the last five years;
- (b) the list of such agricultural schools and their constituent colleges, State-wise;
- (c) the details of criteria/conditions adopted for setting up of Agricultural Training Institutes (ATIs) in the country; and
- (d) whether Government proposes to open more Central Agricultural Training Institutes in various States of the country?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI BHAGIRATH CHOUDHARY)

(a) & (b): During last 5 years, 2 new Agricultural and allied subjects Universities have been established in the states of Andhra Pradesh and Chhattisgarh. List is attached in **Annexure-I**.

(c) & (d): Central Government has not opened any Agricultural Training Institutes (ATIs) in the country.

However, Government provides training to the farmers and farm women through Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)-Research Institutes, Krishi Vigyan Kendras (KVKs), Agricultural and allied subjects Universities and other Institutions.

[To part (a)&(b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Q. No. 1294 dated 06.12.2024]

List of Agricultural Universities established in the last 5 years and their constituent Colleges:

S. No.	State	Name of the University	Year of Establishment of the University	Constituent Colleges
1	Andhra Pradesh	1.Andhra Pradesh Fisheries University, Vijayawada	2020	1.College of Fishery Science, Narasapuram, West Godavari District
2	Chhattisgarh	1.Mahatma Gandhi University of Horticulture and Forestry, Durg	2020	2.College of Fishery Science, Muthukur, Nellore
				1.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Jagdalpur
				2.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Rajnandgaon
				3.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Arjunda, Balod
				4.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Dhamtari
				5.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Saja-Bemetara
				6.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Sankara-Patan, Durg
				7.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Kunkuri, Jashpur
				8.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Gaurela-Pendra-Marwahi
				9.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Kotba, Jashpur
				10.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Sitapur, Surguja
				11.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Chirmiri, Manendragarh-Chirmiri-Bharatpur
				12.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Ramanujgunj, Balrampur
				13.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Sonarpal, Chapka, Bastar
				14.College of Horticulture and Research Station, Hathani, Bilapur
				15.College of Forestry and Research Station, Sankara, Patan, Durg
				16.College of Horticulture & Forestry and Research Station, Raigarh (Sanctioned)
				17.College of Horticulture & Forestry and Research Silphili, Surajpur (Sanctioned)
				18.Agri-Business Management and Research Station, Kunkuri, Jashpur (Sanctioned)
				19.Post Harvest Management & Processing Technology Ramchandrapur, Balrampur (Sanctioned)
